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ETHYLCELLULOSE

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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Patent Examiner dated July 8, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-5, 7, 8 and 17-20 of the above-identified patent application.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 04-1512 in the amount of \$540. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees, as well extra fees which may be required to preserve pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-1512.

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